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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Henry G. PAJAK et al.

Group Art Unit: 2155

Application No.: 09/718,477

Examiner: Michael Y. Won

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Docket No.: 105730

For: METRICS AND STATUS PRESENTATION SYSTEM AND METHOD USING
PERSISTENT TEMPLATE-DRIVEN WEB OBJECTS

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In reply to the October 22, 2004 Office Action, reconsideration of the rejection is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

Applicants appreciate the courtesies shown to Applicants' representative by Examiner Won in the November 22, 2004 personal interview. Applicants' separate record of the substance of the interview is incorporated into the following remarks.

Claims 1-25 are pending in this application.

I. The Claims Define Patentable Subject Matter

The Office Action rejects claims 1-12 and 17-25 under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 5,987,513 to Prithviraj et al. ("Prithviraj") in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,708,816 to Culbert ("Culbert"); and claims 13-16 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as unpatentable over Prithviraj and Culbert and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,356,933 to Mitchell et al. ("Mitchell"). The rejections are respectfully traversed.